PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT[661]

Notice of Intended Action

Twenty-five interested persons, a governmental subdivision, an agency or association of 25 or more persons may demand an oral presentation hereon as provided in Iowa Code section 17A.4(1)"b."

Notice is also given to the public that the Administrative Rules Review Committee may, on its own motion or on written request by any individual or group, review this proposed action under section 17A.8(6) at a regular or special meeting where the public or interested persons may be heard.

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 103A.56, the Building Code Commissioner hereby gives Notice of Intended Action to amend Chapter 374, "Manufactured Housing Installer Certification," Iowa Administrative Code.

Iowa Code section 103A.59 establishes the certification program for manufactured housing installers in Iowa. The rules implementing this section were recently organized into new Chapter 374 of the administrative rules for the Department of Public Safety. This new chapter was adopted through emergency procedures and became effective July 1, 2008.

Recent widespread disaster conditions in Iowa have created a need for qualified installers from out of state to be able to work in Iowa. The rule proposed herein would provide for the temporary emergency certification of manufactured housing installers, provided that they produce evidence of certification or licensing as installers from other states and proof of liability insurance coverage. The temporary emergency certificates would be valid for 90 days and may be renewed once.

A public hearing on this proposed rule will be held on August 12, 2008, at 9 a.m. in the First Floor Public Conference Room (Room 125), State Public Safety Headquarters Building, 215 East 7th Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50319. This hearing will be held concurrently with the hearing scheduled to accept comments on **ARC 6880B**, published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on July 2, 2008, which proposed the adoption of Chapter 374. The building and conference room are fully accessible. Persons may present their views orally or in writing at the public hearing. Persons who wish to make oral presentations at the hearing should contact the Agency Rules Administrator, Iowa Department of Public Safety, Public Safety Headquarters Building, 215 East 7th Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50319; by telephone at (515)725-6185; or by electronic mail to admrule@dps.state.ia.us at least one day prior to the hearing.

Any interested persons may make oral or written comments concerning this proposed amendment to the Agency Rules Administrator by mail, telephone, or in person at the above address by 4:30 p.m. on August 11, 2008. Comments may also be submitted by electronic mail to admrule@dps.state.ia.us by 4:30 p.m. on August 11, 2008.

This amendment was also Adopted and Filed Emergency, effective July 1, 2008, and is published herein as ARC 6966B.

This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code section 103A.59.